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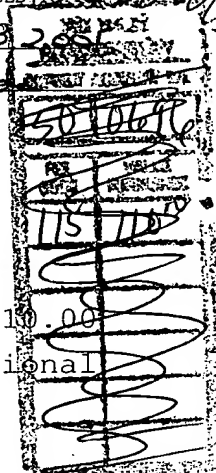
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Responsive to the Office Action dated November 8, 2000, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Page 1, lines 12-13, after "09/026,311" insert -- , now U.S. Patent No. 6,031,221 --.

Page 2, line 20, change "pivel" to -- pixel;

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Page 2, line 26, change "maged" to -- imaged --.

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IN THE TITLE

After "CONTAINER INSPECTION MACHINE" insert -- USING LIGHT SOURCE HAVING SPATIALLY CYCLICALLY CONTINUOUSLY VARYING INTENSITY --.